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- (1) The Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Patent Application, attached to a copy of the application as filed;
- (2) Authorized to debit deposit account number 50-1131 for the following fees:
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 - (1) 3 Statements of Facts in Support of Filing on Behalf of Nonsigning Inventor;
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 - (5) 8 Added pages to Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney for Signature by Joint Inventors on Behalf of Nonsigning Inventor who Refuses to sign or cannot be reached (37 CFR 1.47 (a));
 - (6) The Petition Fee under (37 CFR 1.17 (i)) \$130.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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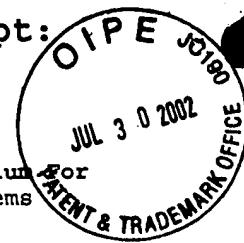
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Utility Filing Fee	101	\$ 740

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EXTRA CLAIM FEES

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Total Claims: 50	103	\$ 18	30	\$ 540
Independent Claims: 6	102	\$ 84	3	\$ 252

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
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